



**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE**

D.T.C. 21-4

August 25, 2021

Investigation by the Department on its own motion as to the propriety of the rates and charges set forth in the following tariffs: MDTC No. 3 and MDTC No. 5, each filed with the Department on March 1, 2021, to become effective April 1, 2021, by Taconic Telephone Corp. d/b/a Consolidated Communications

ORDER OF NOTICE

Taconic Telephone Corp. d/b/a Consolidated Communications and Taconic Telcom Corp. d/b/a Consolidated Communications Long Distance (collectively, "Taconic") are required to publish the attached legal notice in a newspaper of general circulation in Hancock, MA, no later than September 7, 2021. *See* 207 C.M.R. § 1.06(5)(d). In addition, Taconic shall provide actual notice to any person who has filed a request for notice with Taconic.

Taconic shall provide the Department of Telecommunications and Cable ("Department") with proof of appropriate notice of the hearing by September 28, 2021. *See id.* Such proof shall include, at a minimum, a sworn statement that lists the newspaper(s) in which the legal notice appears and the date of newspaper publication. All statements of proof of publication shall be accompanied by a written attestation of their accuracy, and shall be entered as sworn statements into the record.

By Order of the Department,

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